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- ☒ Applicant hereby petitions for a one-month extension of time in which to file the present response and encloses herewith the necessary fee to accompany this petition. A check in the amount of \$910.00 to cover: 1) \$120 for a one-month extension of time; and 2) \$790 for the RCE filing fee. Check No. 524147 is attached.
- ☒ Please charge any additional fees, including any fees necessary for extensions of time or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-2001, under Order No. SCHB-3500. **A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.**
- ☒ Petition for extension of time. The undersigned attorney of record hereby petitions for an extension of time pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), as may be required, to file this response.

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